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MRS. I. STEEVES, Edgett's Landing, N.B., writes on Jan. 18, 1001 : "In the fall of 1899 I was troubled with a severe pain in the back. I could scarcely get up out of a chair and it gave me great pain to move about. I took one box of Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured. I have not been troubled with it since."

Toudsons Bay Co REPORTS FROM THE MINES

Steady Development and Active Progress is General on the Lake.

The Flint Lake Gold Mining Company have let a contract to Stevens & McKinnon, to build a mill. Mr. Breidenbach, M.E., prepared the and reading court decisions and conplans and designed the structure of demnation of methods employed. both the mill and the machinery arrangement. The machinery, which is a ball mill made by the Krupp Comany in Germany, will treat 60 tons per day. It has been figured that the mill can be kept running for several months with ore that can be quarried along the surface without at present doing any genuine mining work until the character of the ore and size of the vein become better known.

MIKADO.

Manager McMillan, of the Mikado mine, is keeping up a steady development attack along the levels and drifts and the results so far are satisfactory. to more aggressive work in the matter Referring to the early breaking up of of colonization roads and the opening probably be another bullion producer. the winter roads and the late opening to settlement of the farming lands, adof navigation, Mr. McMillan said the jacent to Rat Portage. Headso attackprovisions got so low that there was ed the vacillating policy of the govbad before it arrived. Mr. McMillan himself lost several pounds in weight during the seige.

BLACK EAGLE.

Reports from Black Eagle are to the ffect that large gold returns are being taken every 24 hours from the plates, and that May will show the largest bullion return since the new company started started operating. No word has reached us so far as to the plan of themanagement regarding the straightening of the old shaft or the opening of new reserves below the ninth level. though these necessary works may be proceeding without the fact being made known. Mr. Frank Peterson. M. E., left this morning to pay a visit to the mine.

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CONSERVATIVE MEETING.

audience, confined his talk to peronal matters, and criticizing his opponent's previous speeches at other meetings, very much of which the audience failed to grasp the meaning. as they had no idea who certain parties at Savanne and other places were.

Mr. Ferguson again took the stage and after disposing of some of the remarks of the previous speaker, he took several planks of the Whitney platform, dealing with them at length and explaining their superiority over the Ross regime, finishing by citing corrupt practices of the government

Dr. Smellie was greeted with pro longed cheering when he advanced to speak. He said he had intended going into a discussion of the Whitney policy and attacking that of Premier Ross, but was afraid he would be compelled to give a large portion of his time to refuting the garbled tales that Mr. Cameron had heard and repeated. The doctor then went into some of these at some length, and though they might have been interesting to a Savanne, Ignace or Fort William andience, they were not so in Rat Portage. He then gave a short exposition of the Whitney policy, referring particularly administration.

At the conclusion of the meeting the audience sang God Save the King, and three cheers for the condidates were given.

Fred Saint and Mike Mc-Comber Will Each Serve Thirteen Months.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. W. Young, P. M., sentenced two bad men from Ignace to 13 months, hard labor for steaking and assault and battery. The prisoners, Fred Saint and Mike Mc-Comber, were brought here Wednesday by Constable Enumous after being tried on Tuesday at Ignace, by Magistrate Young. There were four charges against the prisoners, two lot assault and battery laid by A. Honcet: one preferred by Chas. Boucher against the prisoner McComber, of stealing a pair of boots, and one laid against the

American Capitalists Flock- Pouthful blonde. ing into the District to invest in Mines.

Mr. Dan Simpson returned on Thurs day evening, says the Wabigoon Star, from his visit to Mosher Bay, where he made a thorough examination of three locations on behalf of a group of to look after her personal comfort. Buffald capitalists, who are interesting themselves in that portion of the Manitou district. From his intimate knowledge of the Maniton district, through his connection with the Big Master mine, of which he may be said to be the father and chief promoter. Mr. Simpson is leminently qualified to pass indement on any mining prospect in this district.

Mr. Simpson has an able colleague in Mr. P. Paulson, another pioneer shareholder of the Big Master, through whose interest in the Mosher Bay property it is that Mr. Simpson again returns to further exploit the Manitou district, the promoter of what will

Before leaving for Bultalo Mr. Simpson called at the Star office and summed up the result of his visit, by sayerument and the extravagance of the ing he had never seen bettet prospects in all his life. From results of assays and samples seen this statement is easily.comoborated. The preliminary work done so far is the sinking of a prospecting shaft and 65 feet of tunneling to intercent the vein.

> Mr. Simpson will probably be at the head of two syndicates, who will develop the Moslier Bay, property on an extensive scale as soon as financial matters have been arranged.

Asked as to the prospects of the Big Master Mr. Simpson said it was a sore winner, as this property was in the hands of such high class investors as Hon, C.W. Stone, president, and B.C. Myers, secretary, besides being man aged by a superintendent who has as superior in Canada.

Mr. Simpson left for Buttalo the same evening to complete arrange ments for organizing the company.

Among those who left on Monday morning's steambout for Gold Rock was Mr. E. H. Page, of Minneapolis, Mr. Page is interested, with Mr. B. H. Evans, of St. Paul, in some mining lorations in the Manuton, admining the Big Master, in fact on the same vein-No work has been done on this propetty, beyond a shot or two put in here and there, the rock from which was drowned in a tub at Bracelyidge. however, showed encouraging assays,

The mother of the girl sent an accurate description of her, but the police located her by the fact that she was the prettiest girl on the boat and incidentally that she was accompanied by an apparently love stricken and

At police headquarters Miss Ainsworth was shown courtesies seldon heard of. She was allowed to write on the chief's typewriter; hold hands with her boy friend; above all, instructions were given that the best looking main on the headquarters detail should act as guardian. As a result, every man present imagined that he was detailed,

Miss Ainsworth was put on the United Empire late this afternoon and started back for Port Arthur, where her mother will meet her at the end of the dock

Archbiskop Corrigan died worth \$125,000. But to show that great med are not adways lealons of each others as historians would have as believes the Archbishop's will is wegen attention. He left nothing to his relatives, but gave all his property back to the different Sees of his church where the money originally came from. The will reads : I give, devise and beginnith all my estate, both real and personal of whotsoever kind, name, and whetesoever situated, with reversion, temainder or otherwise, unto Rt. Rev. Charles MrDonell, bishop of the City of Brooklyn ; Rt. Rev. Winsul Wigger, bishop of the city of Newark, Ni L. and Rt. Rev. Henry Galuiel, bishen of Ogdensburg, to have and to hold as joint tenants and not as tenants in

Boiled Down into Readably Paragraphs for Busy People. 7

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The young son of S. H. Armstrong

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An enthusiastic audience assembled Dr. Smellie, the Conservative nominee | blow his head off. Mr. Cameron and Mr. McKenzie to consequences to lay information that address the meeting. Mr. Cameron mounted the platform and complained of the unfairness of having to speak first, and Mr. McKenzie next appearing said he also thought it unfair and refused to, at the same time taking his seat on the stage

Mr. A. Moore, who was the first speaker, in a few, words outlined the policy of Mr. Whitney, and scored the government on its many shortcomings only on the provincial aspect of the game. contest, but also from its intricate local standpoint.

Mr. Cameron, who was greeted with loud applause by his supporters in the

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for this constituency, make his first. The convicted men had been had for address to the voters at this end of the a long time around Ignace, and the district. Mr. Belyea being appointed people there had become so afraid of chairman, extended an invitation to them that they were too scared of the would have put them behind the bars long ago. It is to be hoped that the Lake of the Wrods district jail regulations will make them better and wiser men.

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Mr. W. P. Davidson, of St. Paul, ar-

PORT ARTHUR ELOPEMENT.

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tion in police circles and fortunately

for the happy homes of several police-

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Miss Ainsworth is 16 years of age!

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widow of Port Arthur and is a stenog-

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PING PONG.

with H. D. Alston, the manager of the Next week the skating rink will echo property, the same morning for the with the mellifluous ping pong, ping mine, where he will examine the work pong, of the "infernal little white so far accomplished and arrange for and one-sided legislation. Mr. Fergu, mice" as some limite player named the future operations. Mr. Davidson was son followed and spoke forcibly not celluloid spheres used in that exciting accommanied by his brother, who is enjoving a brief holiday.

There will be six tables for the players, and war to the bitter end may be looked for.

The enteries will be:--Ladies' Singles, Entry.......25c Men's Single, 50c Mixed Doubles, ...

As the proceeds are for the benefit of the town library everybody should go into the tournament, whether they play well or badly. There will be sevetal classes, even a "baby class," for people who have never played. If it results in nothing else, there will be a carnival of fun for all, and prizes for the winners.



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nary development to further test the Hugh R. Skinner, eldest son of the properly with a view to future operalate Col. Skinner, is dead at W | 1 tions. From its contiguity to the Big

Master, it is not improbable that like 'Alex Walker was struck by a stree the Big Master, it will establish a rear at Hamilton and narrowly escaped putation which will rebound to the credit of that resourceful portion of

Lineman of the Cateract Power Co of going on strike for an incre rived at Wahigoon on Wednesday

morning last from Winnipeg, Mr. Rev. Father Allain is leaving 8 Davidson is the principal person inter-Catharines to take charge of account ested in the Royal Sovereign and left. gation at Olympia, W. T.

> Grant Mackintosh shot and kill i himself at Montreal. He had be sufferer from insomnia for weeks.

The 119th anniversary of the land ing of Lovalists at St. John wi brated Saturday.

Henderson Dixon, a well-known resi dent of Galt, was asphyxiafed | gas? Duluth Herald:- With her exquisite

The report that James O'Halleras girlishness and distressing \brunette to be appointed Deputy Minister 16, beauty Margaret Ainsworth leigns su-Agriculture is neither confirme to denied at Ottawa. She has created a palpitating sensa-

> Hugh McCaffrey, formerly of K .. ston, died at Ogdensburg, N.Y., wo he was connected with the Republi ; and Journal office.

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Mouldo cat to become tive was tunate or unfortunate rough a nited Kinston, we per clike in sympawith the norbiness but would a While the choirs were setten or gring work with intersection machinists.

in Port Arthur yesterday maching The four year old daughter of W. J. Miss Ainsworth dashed off a few notes Thompson, at Winnipeg, lost her eye to some of her garl friends and then sight by the explosion of a cartridge boarded the steamer United Empire with which she had been playing. for Duluth. Hamilton was on the

A man named Giroux was fined by The mother of Miss Ainsworth was Judge Lowell of Boston for opening shown one of her daughter's delight his wife's letters, the charge being fully girlish notes and immediately that of tampering with United Stices wired the local police to stop the clop | mail. The man should not have been fined; he should have been kicked;

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THE HOARD OF HEALTH.

In Tuesday's issue of the Miner we called the attention of the Board of Health to certain unsanitary conditions existing in various parts of the town but we have earnt in the mean-time that the Board of Health as a board can hardly be said to exist. No full ineetings have been held this year, and no steps whaterer have been taken in regard to cleaning of streets and back wirds.

The policeman who sleeps when he is supposed to be watching is summarily dismissed: the lone sentry who allows his tired evends to fall instead of keeping a lookest for the enemy is court martialled and shot, but the Board of Health rany sleep and allow disease to stalk unchecked among the community, and the matter being everybody's business, no one is of course to blame, that is, not legally. But there is a terrible MORAL responsibility on the shoulders of the Board of Health, and if they refuse to acknowledge it, and continue to hold office, thus keeping out men who would do the work conscientionsly and faithfully, they are committing an outrage on the community.

Protests are heard from many quarters, but whether they are heard or not by the board except as individuals, is rather doubtful or if they are are heard, they are certainly unheeded.

Pull yourselves together gentlemen, literally and metaphorically, and get to work while there is yet time. Also, thank the gods that Rat Portage is not a city on the plains, but is built on the hillside in such a manner that na-ture performs ning tenths of the duties of the Board of Health. It is up to you gentlemen to perion the remaining tenth of the work and save our fair reputation as the healthiest city in

OUR ROTAL VISITORS.

Though the balk of the people of Rat Portage did anot know it - though perhaps not halfy a dozen out of the hundreds gathered around the depot is go Creat Restorer of Health for the were aware of the facti-we nevertheless had some natable visitors here for a few minutes on Saturday night. There was a privatel compartment coach on the rear and of the train which was so lour, that this car did some men who looked as if they had

not he is right in this, for we confess that we have not the material in Rat Portage to make a fair comparison. Of course the young man comes from a place where he would be likely to To the Electors of the Constituency of see neahing but 'brokendown threshing offits," but as he had probably never een a sprinkling cart in his life before last Friday we fail to see where he has the advantage of us-if. as he confesses, he did not know a sprinkling cart when he saw one.

The Englishman is supposed to beat the world for tenacity in hanging on to preconceived ideas, and holding inborn prejudice against up-to-date ideas, but he manages somehow to alsorb western 'go" after a while; he soon learns to shoot, and ride a bucking broucho, to raise wheat, to mine, and to tackle business enterprises that would stagger his own father. The native Irishman arrives in New York from the bogs of his own country, and the fext we hear of him is that he is an allerman, and among the noisiest Yankee jingoes, proclaiming with the full force of his lungs, the glories of 'our moighty Daymorracy." The native Scot goes naywhere, and everywhere and he is always on top of the heap. He hangs on to his nationality

perhaps, but there is not a more loval denizen of the country or state which has recognized this ability and given him a home.

But that downeast Ontario young man from the insignificant village! He is only a few of course, just enough of power. The Conservative party, if to swrink here and there through the west for a short time, but he is like a solitary hornet uncomfortable. He was probably useless at home and his father let him co west, where he would have his vanity knocked out of him, and the young man learns things and the goes back home with an exalted yet unly adequate idea of the wisdom of the father.

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neither tuler or subject. The nided thest assist us in so doing; the ample and highborn have their trials and encouragement of our Agricultural. Sickness, disease and suffering respect which was so long, that this car did physical suferings like those in hunnel get under the bridge when the bley stations. Social standing and train stopped in that coach were wealth cannot but the progress of dis-

TO THE ELECTORS.

Fort William, and Lake of the Woode.

Gentlemen-I beg to solicit your vote and influence in my behalf at the approaching general election rendered necessary by the recent dissolution ofthe Ontario Legislative Assembly.

Though a Conservative, Lhave never been an extreme party man, and feel that on many questions I may lay claim to the support of all fair minded men who put principal in the leading place and party in the second. I do not pretend to justify or defend all that generous manner and this view I shall has heretofore been said and done in the name of Conservatism; but, in spite of blemishes in its history. I believe that the Conservative party has done much for Canada and for Oritario in the past, and is capable of doing much in the future which will rebound to the benefit of the country, and the credit of the party.

As regards the present Government of Ontario, between its mal-administration and its non-administration there is much for the elector to condemn and much to denione.

The inability or unwillingness of the present Reform Government toamend the School Law and bring it abreast of the times, stamps the said Government as unfit longer to retain the reins successful at the polls, will in all earnestness and with full conviction of the importance and gravity of the subject. at once make determined efforts to bring this great question to a satisfactory and successful issue, by correcting abuses, and modernizing the whole system of education.

The scandalous mal-admistration of the Liquor Laws of the province, in our district at least, merits the condemnation of all right thinking people; and it is idle to suppose that after conniving at infractions of the present liquor law, the government would lift a finger to enforce the new prohibitory act. The much talked of Referendum -a word, which by the way, has no place in any of Mr. Ross' dictionaries or textbooks-is the temporary refuge of a cowardly and insincere government. By holding forth Probibition as a buit in one band and in snatching it back with the other by means of the telerendum the province has been insulted and stultified by the government, and the latter should by this reason be steady dealt with by the electorate. Such Suportant questions as the

best means of developing New Ontario and how the Ontario Government can encouragement of our Agricultural, CROWN TAILORING CO. Mining and Fishing industries; the they stations. Social standing and weight cannot have the progress of distriction of such timber limits as are still care when the common rules of health are collated.

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been made in the past demands that even wider views must prevail in the future. If elected, I shall at all times strenuously advocate an enlightened. liberal and progressive policy in regard to the development of our mines, the establishment of pulp and paper mills, the improvement of our waterways and the broadest and most generous encouragement to the agriculturist and settler particultriv along the lines of easy acquisition of title, and the opening of good roads throughout the constituency.

The matter of education in a new country like this is one of great importance and should be dealt with in a consider it my duty to persistently press upon the government at Toronto is well the matterof/increased hospital accommodation throughout the northwest portion of the province.

It shall be my aim to meet von all before the date of the election and discass fully these matters deemed inportant to the constituency and the province at large.

In the meantime I respectfully submit these views for your consideration and in the event of their meeting with convapproval I ask you to support me by your vote and influence,

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water with great pain.

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DER ROTAL VISITORS

Though the balk of the people of Rat Portage did mot know it though pethaps not half a dozen out of the hundreds gattleskel around the deport is the Creat Restorer of Health for the were aware of the fact we nevertheless had some notable visitors here for a few minutes on Saturday night, There was a private compartment coach on the rest end of the train which was so long, that this car did not get under the bridge when the train stoppeds In that coach were some men who looked as if they had been in the Chillese laundry business. hat they ham't. They were His Royal Highness Prince Yi Chai Kali. of Corea, and his suite, and they were on their way to England to attend the coronation. In the same coach were Mi. and Mrs. Gaife, whose expenses to the coronation thre being paid by the Corean government. Mr. Goffe is the British consul at Corea.

On the same train with the prince was another gentleman whose name is known all over the civilized world-Baron Munchansen. He sat alone. Combe had travelled over the road between Wimipeg and Port Arthur barra few (see before, and the baron must have been teeling like Napoleon histafter the lattle of Waterloo-i.e., 30 cents.

Just as we go to press we learned through here Hattarday night is not the same gentlemm whose adventures we Berlin after a trajeto the Orient. - End

WHAT WESTERNERS SUFFER.

tiresome, the spectacle of a young man coming to Rat Pertage to make a living, and starting in before he got his your Compound." grip unpacked; to criticize the municipad institutions. or anything else in town which does not please his fancy, sitter you : 🌞 : ove said the same thing in the A relent freshness, and we are go togetued of its. One young man will be worth the blush of the farm on the kk, and the mire of the juggery to high sets, and of course he considers home the overest of mining uniters, of the overest of mining uniters, of the once turns in to demonstrate the work as the constant of the course of graduate, but it is unally turns out that and the second as the province of Outain, the province of Ou

Another young man will say in you buy, what he considers an irresistibly huher looks like afstokendown threshing for Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Deoutfit. We don't know whether or signs.

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hibition as a bait in one hand-and in snatching it back with the other by means of the Referendum - the province has been insulted and stultilled by the government, and the latter should by this reason be sternly dealt with by the electorate.

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"Duke," remarked Angela Danby,

with the frank courage of an heiress to

millions. "I am sensible of the honor

conveyed in your offer, but before I

"You know that papa, like most peo-

"We are Tories ourselves," observed

"Oh, yes, but faineants in Torvism.

according to papa," she retorted, with

something to convince him that you

are as intensely anti-Radical as he is

himself. How many votes are you en-

titled to cast at the coming general

The duke produced a betting book

"Well," he said "there is the vote in

Daleshire, and in Shropshire, and in

in the boroughs of Moreton, Dalehamp-

"How many in all in England?" she

"Thirteen, And then in Scotland-

Lothlans"-he caught her look of

appeal and finished-"seven in all.

must tire you. Summing them all up,

I have thirty-six votes-no; thirty-seven. I forgot that I have one vote in

Miss Danby sank back in her chair

with a little sigh. The duke stared in a

puzzled manner alternately at her and

"Only last night papa was saving

that if at the next election any Tork

gentleman falled to vote to his utmost

capacity he would consider him as a

traitor to the cause. Duke, you ask

what you can do to win me. Vote for

the cause in every one of the constitu-

"But, Miss Dauby," he protested,

bave you considered? I have thirty-

seven constituencies. Many of the

elections happen in these places on the

same day. They are often hundreds

Miss Dauly rose from her chair a

The duby had also risen. He looked

her full in the even "Angela," he

said, with the awkward dignity which

is a characteristic of the St. Gites fam-

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And he took his but and his denor

encies where you possess suffrage."

The poor duke stood aghast.

of inlies apart. It is impossible

Finally she broke the silence.

Angela began to look appalled.

and hastily made a calculation.

answer I must ask certain questions."

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One-ten, and Liverpool! But a grievous disappointment met the duke. The packet boat for Dublin was delayed an hour. He stormed and bribed, but to no purpose, and was about to betake bimself to his hotel in despair when atelegram-was handed him. It was from Dublin and was signed "Angela."

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Twenty minutes later saw the duke speeding down the Mersey on the Champion, fustest of its kind.

The day was drawing to a close in Ballyconnell, and with it the election. It was a tiny hamlet, so it was small wonder that there was more interest taken in the beautiful lady who had so ple who have made money suddenly, is mysteriously appeared on the scene in a fine carriage than in the election. As the minutes passed the girl, for she was hardly more than a girl, grew visibly impatient as she looked and listened for some one who did not come. a deprecatory gesture. "You must do Finally she jumped lightly from the carriage and asked the crowd if they would be willing to listen to a speech in honor of the Tory candidate They were in a mood for diversion

and not loath to humor so pretty a lady, so they drew around her. Her voice even attracted the gentlemen in charge of the ballot boxes. They did not notice that the hour for closing the polls had passed by.

Devon on the Rivers Court estate, and Five minutes past the hour-ten. The ton and Middleton, and in the London girl was desperate. Could she hold them another moment. All the pretty color had faded from her cheeks, but whe talked on.

Suddenly there was the thud of hoofs, whirl of dust and another carriage one in Inverness. The Lowland estates dashed up. Out jumped a very travelworn young man, who hurried into a give me one in Lanark. Dumfries, the booth where his factor had all credentials ready and deposited his thirtyseventh and last vote. If the election Then in Ireland-but all these details judges realized that it was past the hour for voting, they were too much taken by surprise to say anything.

And then the duke turned to the girl. She was still trembling, but she made a brave attempt to smile as she said:

"Let me congratulate you on the acomblishment of the impossible." The duke took her hand quite boldly.

"Thanks to you, Angela." And she did not deny him.

According to Cocker.

Edward Cocker, who lived in the reign of Charles II., is chiefly known to the present generation by the saying In common use. "According to Cocker" means in accordance with arithmetical

I saw the other day amid the trensures of a private collector a copy of the first edition of Cocker's immortal work on arithmetic, published by T. Passenger at the Three Bibles on London bridge. Only two, or at least three. the said firmly "I have answered | perfect copies are known to the book collector. One is in the British museum. This particular copy, its brown moroeco pitifully faded, bears on its title page the inscription, "Cocker's Arithmetick, Perused and Published by John Hawkins by the Author's Correct Conv." It contains what nurports to be a portrait of "ingentons Cocker" Experts, however, shake their heads over the nutbenticity of this work of art. There are many engraved fortraits of the epoch, but there was only one Cocker. The British museum copy has

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TWO POEMS.

I. The Sea by the Wood. dwell in a sea-that is will and deep, And afar in a sindow still. can see the trees that gather and seep In the wood upon the bill.

The deeps are green as an emerald's face, The caves are crystal calm. Bur I wish the sea were a little trace Of moisture in God's palm.

The waves are weary of hiding pearls,
Are weary of smothering gold.
They would all be air that sweeps and

In the branches manifold.

They are weary of laving the seaman's With their passion prayer unsaid. They are weary of sobs and the sudden signs. And movements of the dead.

All the sea is haunted with human lips Ashen and sere and grey. You can hear the sails of the sunken ships Stir and shiver and sway.

In the westy solitude:
If mine were the will of God, the minin Should melt away in the rustling wood.
Like a mist that follows the rain.

But I dwell in the sea that is wild and

deep. And afar in the shadow still

can see the trees that gather and sleep in the wood upon the bill.

II.-The Wood by the Sea.

I dwel in the wood that is dark and kind, But afar off folls the main, Afar, far off I hear the wind, And the marching of the rain.

The shade is dark us the palmer's Tood. The a.r with the balm is bland: Buf I wish the press that breathe in the

Were ashes in God's hand.

The pines are weary of holding nests, Are weary of casting shade: Wearity smoulder the resin crests -in the pungent gloom of the glade,

Weary are all the birds of sleep. The nests are weary of wings. The whole wood yearns to the swaying deep.

deep. The mother of restful things.

The wood is very old and still So still when the dead cones fail, Near in the vale or away on the hill, You can bear them one and all.

And the falling wearles me; If thine were the will of God, why then the wood would tramp to the sounding sea Like a marching army of men!

But I dwell in the wood that is dark and kind.

Afar off tolls the majo:

Afar, far off I bear the wind.

And the marching of the rain.

-Dinuan Compbell Scott, in The Canalian Congaine.

TO CANADA'S RESCUE.

Dully Journal of Aberdaen Makes Elequent Defence of the Deminies.

Hore is a Scottish newspaper, The Daily Journal or Aberdeen, with a vally eloquent descues of Canada igainst Kipling's implied suggestion but snow plays a part in our daily

The title of Our Lady of the Snows, says the Scottish Writer. obestowed on Canada in a huphar-ird sort of marner by Budyard Kipbounds of the cricket and grass and will be good up to and including bounds of the cricket and grass. copper. I have walked audit - the when the sunset elem had faded, a and watched the medies ducting to .. and too like shooting stars; and I get C.P.R. agent...



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"It is madness, your grace," expostu-

"I suppose I can afford to be mad?

"Oh, certainly, your grace. The es-

tates are in a most flourishing condi-

tion, and, of course, the prospect of

"I don't care twopence for the Dan-

by millions. It is the girl I want?"

And then, as if ashamed of his show of

feeling, he went on hurriedly, "And

"Well, your grace, I have had the

schedules made out, and it is possible-

barely possible-for you to cover the

ground in time. But it will cost-spe-

cial trains and all that-it will cost

"I will risk thousands, but," half to

himself, 'I must win the girl. Be good

enough to show me an Itinerary for my

A touch of a bell brought the head

recorded the first vote of his long se-

ries. Then a special whirled him into

the west county, where he voted be-

fore dinner time at no less than three

boroughs. At every stopping point

stood a barouche and four waiting to

bear blm at a gallop to the voting

booths. And that was only the first of

Presently the word spread far and

wide of the wanderings of the "mad

Duke of Daleshire," Many Joered, but

"That's a man after my own heart.

I have done him an injustice, but I

will make amends for it by and by.

Perhaps Angela has told him some-

The two weeks of election were

drawing to a close, and the crisis of

the duke's experiment was at hand.

He had voted in thirty-five constituen-

cles. Only two remained, but these

elections occurred on the same day,

and one was in the north of Scotland

The duke arrived at his seat of Bal-

lenguich castle on the eve of election.

Next morning the polls were scarcely

opened when his carriage came dash

and the other in the south of Ireland

old Mr. Damby chuckled delightedly.

many days.

thine.

now tell me what has been done?"

your winning the Danby millions"-

lated Mr. Lastwill of Lastwill & Testa-

the dake replied coolly.

hundreds of pounds."

of miles apart. It is impossible."

500."

ment.

seven constituencies. Many of the pure of a private conector a core of the first edition of Cocker's immortal work on arithmetic, published by T. Passensame day. They are often hundreds ger at the Three Bibles on London Miss Danby rose from her chair as bridge. Ouly two or at least three she said firmly. 'I have answered perfect copies are known to the book collector. One is in the British museum. This particular copy, its brown morocco pitifully faded, bears on its title page the inscription, "Cocker's Arithmetick, Perused and Published by John Hawkins by the Author's Correct Copy." It contains what purports to be a portrait of "ingenious Cocker." Experts, however, shake their heads over the authenticity of this work of art. There are many engraved portraits when the sunset glow shad faded. of the check, but there was date one and watched the fireflies durting to Cocker. The British museum copy has and fro like shooting stars; and 1 no portrait, and there is too much reason to fear that this embellishment was with idumage that rivalled the gailyadded by some ingenious owner of an earlier century. Cocker died in 1675. This rare relic of the past bears date

His Hesitation.

1678.-Liverpool Post,

During one of his tours through the south Sam Jones, the revivalist, saw a colored man who had been to him for sniritual advice sitting in a disconsolate attitude in his melon patch. Accosting him, the minister said:

"What is the matter today, Isaac?" "I'ze studyin' 'bout sometin, Mr.

Jones," was the answer. "I want to be converted and tell the good Lord dat I've sorry for my sins "

Why don't you do so, then?" "But ef I do that, the Lord, he say,

'What yo' come here fer sayin' dat ter me when you ain't forgib Sam fer stealin' dat watermillion?"

"Why don't you forgive Sam?" said Mr. Jones.

"Sam-nin't repented, an' he's comin' of horses and similar tables. All the fer mo' tonight of I don't watch out preparations for the carrying out of I forgib him the one he done eat up," the duke's daring experiment had been 'said Isaac, "but I cain't forgib him what he's gwine ter take, so I'm jest That evening found the duke speedstudyin'." ing northward, and next morning he

Chinese Surgery.

Like most things in China, the practice of surgery differs considerably from that in vogue in less enlightened western countries. Bone setting in the Celestial empire is a complicated affair and doubtless much more efficaclous than European methods. In setting a fractured limb the surgeon does not attempt to bring the bones together, but merely wraps the limb in red clay, inserting some strips of bamboo into the clay. These strips are swathed in bandages, and in the outer bandage the head of a live chicken is placed. Here comes in the superior science of the Celestial. After the bandage has been secured the fowl is beheaded, and its blood is allowed to penetrate the fracture, for it nourishes the fractured limb and is "heap good medicine."

Buddhist Ceremonies. Some Buddhist ceremonies present a

striking analogy to certain Christian rites. Dr. Medburst says: "The very holding a crescent, are all such strik ing coincidences that the Catholic missionaries were greatly atumbled at the resemblances between Chinese worship and their own when they came over to quavert the natives to Christianitmice Benderd

mar snow plays a part in our daily "The title of Our Lady of the Snows, " says the Scottish writer bestowed on Canada in a haphazand sort of manner by Rudyard Kiping. is not at all a happy one. it applies to a season only, I lave seen the grapes hanging in aixuriant bunches to the vines a Quebec garden, and the fields of phatoes grow crimson in Warm sunshine: I have lingered in the golden wheatfields in the evenand listened to the myriad-

painted butterflies, contesting; with in the sweet-smelling flowers Scenes like these are not associated with a land of never-ending a winter. Consequently there can be no greater mistake than to imagine, as too many people do. that anada is a semi-Arctic country out of which little good can frome. And yet, what do we find? According to the returns of the Board of Trade fully 65,000 to 75,000 Britishers went to live in the limited States during the past year, while only 12,000 or 13,000 | went to Canada. There is no reason loubt that if the resources and natural wealth of the Dominion of Canada were more generally known in this country, we would soon bear the last of the term "American" as applied to Canadian products and finited States producers would no longer receive credit for Canadian in many cases superior to gnods. their own. Those who guide the Jestindes of the Dominion think that the Stars and Stripes have overshadowed the Mable Leaf longmough. Every true Briton will be

have watched the tiny humming-hird

Dr. Crezier One of the Riccs.

Canadians generally will be interested in learning that Dr. J. Beattie Crozier, author of the famous work History of Intellectual Development." has been selected .. one of the 300 representatives enquire in the splendid tengitimes volume of portraits and biographies which the Grosvenor Press are bringing out. The work coniststs of representative men of overy class outside of the mulitary and civil services, who will have a volume to themselves. Dr. Crozier will he one of the representatives The department of philosophy Also of course he will stand as one of the representatives of Canada r distinction he has well entred and on which his country will warmly er a tola a hua

The Loriseness of Pore I have heard the watchdog's hor

est hark has deco-voiced welcome to me as I headed for the pear tree after thirk. I believe the tellow that titles of their intercessions, such as award the pear tree chose to think 'goddens of mercy,' 'holy mother,' that the dog was giving him warnqueen of heaven, with an image of my of my approach, but I know the virgin having a child in her arms better. I had never given that porticular doc any reason to diship me and the fact that his noisy welcome did bring the owner of the tree into his orchard with a gun was not the dog's fault. It was merely due to the circumstance that the dog in his canine ignorance welcomed me tes vectiorously.

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EREEDOM FROM PAIN

JUDICIAL NOTICE.

Creditors, Contributories and Members of the Lake of the Woods Brewery Company, Limited.

N pur dance of the winding apporter made by the High Court of Justice in the matter of the Lake of the Woods Brewery Company, Limited, "in the matter of the Winding Up Act being Chapter Effer the Revised Statutes

Canada and Amending Acts and dated Morday the 28th day, of April, BILL the creditors of the above named ompany and all others having claims igainst the said Company having its head office in the Town of Rat. Port-, age, in the District of Rainy River, are on or before the Fifth day of June, feliant, to send by post prepaid to Alex-Mear Mine off ce Liquidator of the and Company at his office. But Portage, their Christian and nenames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars, verifled by oath, I their rights and the nature and

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rial. His case will be heard by Judge hapide on Deng Bid!

Mrs. W. C. Mel, an's grand recital fill be held in the Hilliard Opera louse on Fridag next.

Mr. C. A. Johnson, the miner at the likado, who broke a large artery in is arm, has just been discharged from he hospic. He seizing every opextunity suce be came out, to praise he matron and fairses for their attenion and many Lindness during the ime he was an immate.

The concert gine the Presbyterian hurch on Thursday night was well ttended despite the pouring rain. The programmie was an excellent one hich reflects great credit upon choismaster Sutherland.

ion will

How a you getting along! with our hour gods? Stay with it until ou get it filled up, and then get anther; the see stev left yet.

Manager McMillian of the Black light mine, violed town last Tuesday. Dr. Smellie will hold a public meet ag at Notman tonight.

The stores will all be closed tomoriw in honor of Victoria Day! The remora will true exensions on the 200 miles of aluminum wire. ike during the 🖷 v.

the local paper

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EE. STENDALL. Nain st.

Mr. T. E. Smith, of the Rat Portage Diagond Drill Company, left Wednes day night for Sudbury, where he bas for several weeks.

tringo his recently acquired mining dains on Eagle lake, and seems thuroughly satisfied with his examination.

There was a heavy tainstorm at Norman this morning while the sun was hining here. We got our small share of the rain this afternoon, while it was fine at Norman.

The wild plant trees in the suburbs Mr. J. B. Dayle appeared before Mr. of the town are in bloom, though the form its life-substaining functions, an

elegrand is a two in the interests They will be stroked by Hooper and tonic strengthening and health-renew Phillips.

on the Keenora tomorrow night.

agent at Dryden, was on Friday evenrecover the loss of speech. - .

at the free Press office Saturday with roung girl who had suffered greatly from this trouble, but who, through an explanation. A short time ago his the use of Dr. Williams, Pink Pills had wife left him for parts unknown. She fully regained her health and strength tive the shoral w & Daughter of item hypeared in the Free Press giving dition improved and after using the taken up in aid of the datas pur the item in the paper. She It is is now over a year since I have wrote him a letter blanning him for it tused the pills and in that time I have and I wishes her to know that he is enjoyed the best of health. This I owe still of Wemipeg and would like to see to the preatest of all medicines. Dr. how and the base Williams Pink Pills, and I shall alher ged that he will be here till ways bave a good word to say on their

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EREEDOM FROM PAIN.

ME II. H. Hook has returned from a This Cift is Meant for All On It the Happiness and Usefuliness of Life Depend - Without it Life is an Existance Hard to Endur :.

Ill health is a sure sign that the blood; attend. is either insufficient, waterv or impure. Dated at Rat Portage this for most of the diseases that afflict, mankind are traceable to this cause. Every organ of the body requires rich; red blood to enable it to properly per tobinson, 12. As an Thursday on a leaves have not yet reached their full at the first intimation that nature Judicial harryof theft and was sent up for growth. The Rowing Club are sending two, cines will not do this- it is a tonic that outgoared crews to take part in the is needed, and br. Williams' Pink Pills have been proved, the world over, to Mr. Isage Barthett, of the Winnipeg spring regatta in Winnipeg tomorrow, surpass all other medicines in their ing qualities. From one end of the land to the other will be found grate-There will be a moonlight excursion ful people who cheerfully acknowledge that they owe then good health to this great medicine. Among these is Mr. Major Leveque the Indian Agent Elzen Robidous, a prominent young left this week on a six days trip man living at St. Jerone. Que. He to the reserves on Lake of the Woods, says: "For some years I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. My appetite Fred Stone, the popular C. P. R. became irregular and everything I atefelt like a weight on my stomach. I tried several remedies and was under ng of last wook stricken down by a the care of doctors but to no avail and paralytic stroke, and is in a precarious I grew worse as time went on. I becondition, although he will probably came very weak, grewthin suffered much from pains in the stomach and was frequently seized with dizziness. Chas. Coiling, of Rat Portage, called One bay a friend told me of a case of a wenter company with a man who had and strongly advised me to try these boarded at the Codling's house. Mr. pills, I was so eager to find a core The choir of St. Aban's church will Codling says that at the time a new a supply. From the Very first my considerable sticus" it is church next fuesday the is a class of his wife's describin of him pills for a couple on months I was night. Addnessed, see, but a redisc, but a wishes his wife to know that he is a wishes his wife to know that he is a constant sufferen for four years.

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dated Monday the 28th day, of April 1902 the creditors of the above named Company and all others having claims against the said Company having its head office in the Town of Rat Portage, in the District of Rainy River. are on or before the Fifth day of June, 1902, to send by post prepaid to Alexander Mason Rose, the Provisional Near Miner Office Liquidator of the said Company at his office, Rat Portage, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions. the full particulars, verified by oath. of their claims and the nature and amount of their securities, if any, held a large bining contract in the copper is found in health, Strencth and out securities of in default thereof . they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefits of the said windingup order. The undersigned will on the Tenth day of June. 1902, at the hour of Eleven welock in the forenoon. at his chambers in the Court House hear the report of the Provisional Liquidator, upon the said claims and Health is nature's choicest gift to appoint a permanent liquidator of the man and should be carefully gaurded, above Company and let all parties then

5th day of May, 1992.

T. W. CHAPPLE.

Property in the Township of Jaffray. in the District of Rainy River.

PURSUANT to an order of the High Court of Justice inade In the action of Fraser vs. Griffith et al, there will be offered for sale with the approbation of Thomas W. Chapple, Esquire, Local Master of the Supreme Court of Indicature at Rat Portage, by Robert J. Parrott. Auctioneer, at the Town Hall, in the Town of Rat Port age, at Two o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, the Seventh day of June, A. D. 1902, all and singular that certain

parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Jaffray, in the District of Rainy River, and described as follows: That part of Block B, lying south of the Government Colonization Road, as shown on Plan M 28, filed in the Office of Land Titles at Rat Portage, and being Parcel No. 2,264, containing twelve agree more or less.

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